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TITLE OF INVENTION: OPERATING KNOB FOR AN OPTICAL SYSTEM

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Invention: OPERATING KNOB FOR AN OPTICAL SYSTEM

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